

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING HIGHLY CORROSIVE AGENTS

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 10, 2009.

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